



PEPÁKEN HÁUTW Native Plants & Garden Education Program

LÁU, WELNEW Tribal School, Brentwood Bay BC

Teacher: Heather Bossence	Grade Level: 3	Subject: seeds, seedlings, planning a vegetable garden, edible native plants in spring
Lesson Title: Native Plants & Garden Transplanting	Time Needed: 45 mins	Date: April 5 2015

BC Min of Ed Learning Outcomes addressed in this lesson:

- *Science*
 - compare familiar plants according to similarities and differences in appearance and life cycles
 - describe ways in which plants are important to other living things and the environment
 - describe how plants are harvested and used throughout the seasons
- *Social Studies- Social Studies-Human and Physical Environment*
 - demonstrate a sense of responsibility for the local environment
 - research and report on how BC Aboriginal peoples use plants for food, medicine, and products.
- *Processes of Science*
 - Ask questions that foster investigations and explorations relevant to the content

Objectives -Through these learning activities, the student will demonstrate the ability to:

- Talk about what plants need and planning the garden
- Review Seeding Chart to figure out what to plant
- Pick out plants and seeds to plant (greens, sunflowers, brassicas, radish, carrots, beets)
- Plant seeds and transplants
- Learn about forest and meadow native plants
- Practice transplanting techniques
- Learn SENĆOŦEN names for native plants

WORKSHOP ACTIVITIES

Time	Activity
2min	Opening Circle: What did you do when you were here before? What season is it now? Introduce activity and give a reminder of respect for the space and others. Break into 2 groups
20mins	Veg Garden: <ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Students learn the difference between seeds and seedlings2. Students talk about what to think about when planning the garden, (sun, shade, wind, soil nutrients) and review seeding chart3. Students prepare the bed for planting

4. Students choose appropriate seeds and seedlings
5. Students plan a garden bed and lay out the plants
6. Students plant a garden bed

20mins

Native Plants:

1. Discuss native plants, explore some of the plants in the native plant nursery (KEXMIN Indian consumption plant *Lomatium nudicaule*, KÓ,PEŁĆ Devil's club *Oplopanax horridus*, TI,IŁĆ Yerba Buena *Satureja douglasii*)
2. Observe the plants growing in the native plant gardens (KŁO'EL *Cammassia spp.*, TĒLIK EŁP Yarrow *Achillea millefolium*, JSÁY Douglas fir *Pseudotsuga menziesii*, DEWI,EŁĆ Grand fir *Abies grandis*, KĒLKE IŁĆ Nootka rose *Rosa nutkana*), check in about some of the differences between forest and meadow ecosystems
3. Transplant native plants into the native plant gardens

2mins

Closing Circle: What are the things you learned today? What do you wonder about? How can you investigate further before we meet again?

Materials Needed:

- Seeds, seedlings, trowels, gloves
- Seeding Chart
- Labels and pens to make signs
- Shovels
- Assorted native plants for observing and transplanting

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